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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Zheng et al. Confirmation No.: 6104
 Application No.: 10/024,806 Group No.: 1638
 Filed: December 19, 2001 Examiner: Phuong T. Bui
 For: OAR POLYNUCLEOTIDES, POLYPEPTIDES AND THEIR USE IN
 PHA PRODUCTION IN PLANTS

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of one (1) months to respond to the Office Action dated December 19, 2003.
 2. Applicant is ☐ a small entity; ☒ other than a small entity.
 3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):
- | Total Months Requested | Fee For Other Than Small Entity | Fee for Small Entity |
|---|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one month | \$110.00 | \$55.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> two months | \$420.00 | \$210.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> three months | \$950.00 | \$475.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> four months | \$1,480.00 | \$740.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> five months* | \$2,010.00 | \$1,005.00 |

*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.
☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

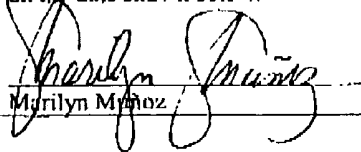


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